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In re the Application of:

John C. ALEXANDER et al.

Serial No.: 09/914,872

Filed: March 3, 2000

For: COMBINATION THERAPY OF ANGIOTENSIN CONVERTING
ENZYME INHIBITOR AND EPOXY-STEROIDAL ALDOSTERONE
ANTAGONIST FOR TREATMENT OF CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE

Atty. Docket No.: 061765.00334
(3179/01/US)

Int'l Appln. No. PCT/US00/05633

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the above-noted Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35
U.S.C. § 371, Applicants submit herewith the following items:

- (1) Joint Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by inventors John C. Alexander, Barbara Roniker and Subhash Desai;
- (2) Assignment, Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet; and
- (3) Authorization to charge the necessary \$130 surcharge, an extension of time fee of \$400, and Assignment Recordation fee of \$40.00, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, for a total of \$570.

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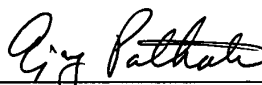
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No additional fees are believed to be due. However, if any additional fees are required or an overpayment of fees made, please debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, as necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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Signature	<i>Ajay Pathak</i>	Date	February 7, 2002		

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Copy of the International Search Report
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- ✓ Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- ✓ \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the

provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

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- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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